

HOUSE BILL 2893

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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 37-5-102, relative to the department of children's services.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 37-5-102, is amended by deleting the word "and" after the semi-colon in subdivision (3), by deleting the word and punctuation "met." at the end of subdivision (4), and by substituting instead the words and punctuation "met; and" at the end of subdivision (4).

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 37-5-102, is amended by adding the following language as a new subdivision:

(5) Keep children safe

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.